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REQUEST EMBASSY PASS FOLLOWING LETTER TO SIMONOV WITH COPY TO KAZAKOV:

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DR. ANATOLIY I. SIMONOV STATE OCEANOGRAPHIC INSTITUTE KROPOTKINSKIY PEREULOK, 6 MOSCOW G-34 UNCLASSIFIED

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DEAR ANATOLIY:

I WAS HAPPY TO RECEIVE YOUR RECENT LETTER IN WHICH YOU AGREED WITH OUR PROPOSAL TO HOLD THE WORKING GROUP MEETING AND PHASE II OIL INTERCALIBRATION SIMULTANEOUSLY. I HAVE CONTACTED DRS. ROGERSON AND HITTINGER, AND HAVE LEARNED THAT

THEY WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR THIS 10 DAY PERIOD. FROM THEIR RECOMMENDATIONS, I HAVE COMPILED THE FOLLOWING WORK SCHEDULE FOR THE VISIT OF THE SOVIET OIL SPECIALISTS:

SEPTEMBER 5 - ARRIVE WASHINGTON, DC (TOGETHER WITH WORKING GROUP DELEGATION.

SEPTEMBER 6 - DEPART FOR NARRAGANSETT, RHODE ISLAND. MEET WITH DRS. ROGERSON AND HITTINGER TO DISCUSS DETAILED WORK PLAN.

SEPTEMBER 7-8 - WORK IN LABORATORY.

SEPTEMBER 9-10 - LABORATORY WORK AND CULTURAL PROGRAM.

SEPTEMBER 11 - WORK IN LABORATORY.

SEPTEMBER 12 - VISIT TO COMMERCIAL HYDROCARBON LABORATORIES IN BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS.

SEPTE,BER 13 - VISIT TO WOODS HOLE LABORATORY. DISCUSSIONS WITH DR. FARRINGTON.

SEPTEMBER 14 - WORK IN LABORATORY AND PREPARATION OF REPORT. SEPTEMBER 15 - CONCLUSION OF WORK. DEPART FOR NEW YORK TO REJOIN WORKING GROUP DELEGATION. DEPART FOR MOSCOW.

PLEASE INFORM US WHETHER THIS PROGRAM IS SUITABLE AND NOTIFY US OF THE COMPOSITION OF THE DELEGATION AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

REGARDING YOUR REQUESTS FOR FIGURES AND REFERENCES FOR THE CHEMICAL SYMPOSIUM PUBLICATION, I AM FORWARDING TO YOU UNDER SEPARATE COVER NEGATIVES FOR DR. BISCAYE'S FIGURES 1-5 AND A CLEAR XEROX COPY OF DR. TUREKIAN'S FIGURE 2. IN UNCLASSIFIED

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ADDITION, I AM SENDING YOU ANOTHER COPY OF DR. BISCAYE'S REVISED PAPER. THIS INCORPORATES ALL THE INFORMATION YOU REQUESTED. MY EDITOR INFORMS ME THAT REFERENCES FROM DR. MIKHAILOV'S PAPER ARE MISSING. WE WOULD APPRECIATE IT IF YOU WOULD FORWARD THESE TO US PROMPTLY, AS WE ARE ALMOST READY TO GO TO PRESS.

SINCERELY,

TOM DUKE
US PROJECT LEADER VANCE

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